THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE C.V.NAGARJUNA REDDY

WRIT PETITION No.24488 OF 2007

Date: 21.11.2007

Between:

Golkonda Muddu Krishna

. . .Petitioner

AND

The State of A.P. and another

. . .Respondents

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ORDER:

This writ petition is filed for a writ of mandamus to set aside proceedings, dated 15.10.2007 issued by respondent No.2 whereby he rejected the request of the petitioner to issue date of birth certificate for his son, by name, G.Vijaya Saradhi.

On 20.11.2007, the writ petition was adjourned, as Sri P.V.Subramanyam, learned counsel for the respondents, on whom notice was served was not present. Even today, when the writ petition was called, he is not present.

Sri G.Ramesh Babu, learned counsel for the petitioner has drawn my attention to orders, dated 29.06.2007 passed in Writ Petition Nos.13714 and 13684 of 2007, dated 21.06.2007 and 27.02.2007 passed in Writ Petition Nos.12972 of 2007 and 3739 of 2007, in which this Court considered the issue raised in the said writ petitions, namely, refusal to issue birth certificate on the ground that the application was filed beyond the time limit prescribed under Rule 10 of Andhra Pradesh Registration of Births and Deaths Rules, 1999 (for short 'the Rules'). In all the said orders, it is held that respondent No.2 ought to have considered the application on merits therein and entered the names of their children in the certificates after satisfying himself as to their identity, despite the fact that applications were filed beyond the time limit of 15 years stipulated under Rule 10 of the Rules.

Having carefully perused the said orders and the averments contained in the affidavit filed in support of the writ petition, I am

satisfied that the petitioner raised the issue, which is identical to the issues raised in the said writ petitions and that the said orders squarely cover the issue raised in the present writ petition.

In view of the above, this writ petition is also disposed of in terms of the said orders with the direction that the same shall be read as part of this order.

C.V.NAGARJUNA REDDY, J

21st NOVEMBER, 2007

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